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Title: ENCODER, DECODER, AND DATA TRANSFER  
SYSTEM

**RESPONSE**

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Sir:

This replies to the Official Action of July 21, 2005.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.